

SKIERS

TO KEEP MINERAL KING NATURAL
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Thousands of people, including many skiers, have expressed outrage at the Forest Service's insensitivity over Mineral King. Two bills now in Congress (HR 1771 & S 88) would transfer Mineral King to Sequoia National Park and thereby preclude the type of massive development proposed by the Forest Service.

Skiers to Keep MK Natural supports legislation to protect the grandeur and unique resources of Mineral King Valley for this & future generations.

Skiers to Keep MK Natural believes that other areas in the Southern Sierra Nevada should be investigated as potential ski sites, areas where the impacts would be far less destructive than those proposed for Mineral King (e.g., Sherman Peak on the Kern Plateau south of Mineral King and Slate Mountain, 25 miles east of Porterville).

If you are a skier and believe that the benefits of commercial development at Mineral King would not be worth the resulting impacts on a fragile and beautiful environment, join us. Receive our Mineral King Pack and Shoulder Patch and keep up to date through our newsletter on the fight to save Mineral King. Tell your friends!

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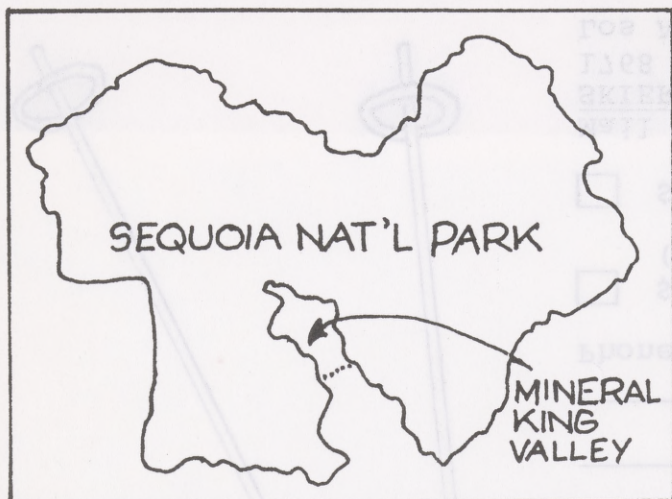
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complex have been completed by the Forest Service & await final approval.

Nestled against the boundaries of Sequoia National Park, Mineral King was omitted when the Park was created by Congress in 1890 due only to the existence of several small mining claims which were later to prove fruitless. However, because it was and still is one of the great California breeding grounds for deer & other wildlife, Congress, in 1926, declared Mineral King a National Game Refuge.

MINERAL KING, a magnificent alpine valley in California's Southern Sierra Nevada, is an endangered area. Plans to transform this tranquil game refuge into a massive year 'round resort

Now, if the Forest Service's grandiose dreams of development are realized, the wildlife as well as air, water, plants and trees of Mineral King & SEQUOIA NATIONAL PARK would be destructively & irreversibly altered.

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